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1. Time—Two years from the 1st day of

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those attached and fitted in every other

way, \$1. For every horse, mule, ox or cow,

drawn by single horse or other animal,

\$1. For every horse, mule, ox or cow, with

out vehicle or rider, \$2.

For every passenger other than the

driver, \$1. For every animal, other than

TELEGRAPHIC.

(By Special Telegraph.)

WINNIPEG, March 12.—The report

that Sullivan killed Mitchell in the third

round is not true. Another report is,

that they fought on Saturday, and after

forty rounds had been fought it was de-

clared a draw.

Jones was elected for Shoal Lake on

Saturday by a majority of about one

hundred.

The Emperor of Germany died yester-

day morning, holding the hand of his

wife. The Crown Prince, Frederick III,

has been proclaimed Emperor. He passed

a restless night upon his return to

Germany. He will reside in Charlotten-

burg palace, outside of the Capital.

WINNIPEG, 12.—Roblin, Liberal, was

elected in North Dakota by a majority

of 90 over Greenleaf, Conservative.

The Hon. J. B. Plumb, Speaker of the

Senate, died this morning in Ottawa.

Martin stated that he and Greenway

expect to leave for Winnipeg on Friday

whether a settlement is effected or not.

Martin is doing a lot of talking and is

doing the Province more harm than good.

One of the worst storms known is rag-

ing in the State of New York. Trains

are blocked and business is at a stand-

still. The storm extends as far north as

Lake Superior.

LONDON, March 10.—The serious as-

pect of foreign affairs resulting from the

death of Emperor William, and the

rapidly approaching dissolution of his

successor has caused considerable talk

the last few days among the rank and

file of the ministerial party of the House

Rule Bill. They acknowledge right and

left that coercion is an extremely bad

policy to pursue in view of the present

danger of war when England needs

friends instead of enemies, especially at

home. The conviction is spreading fast

among Unionist ranks that coercion has

failed.

The Emperor, Frederick III, has arrived

safely at the Castle of Charlottenburg and

has lost no strength.

OTTAWA, March 13.—Mosses, Green

way and Martin are still here.

There is considerable comment on the

fact that L. C. Schuler, who represents

Duncan Macarthur, whose office is the

one Greenway is relying on for the con-

struction of the R. R. V. railway, has

been in constant attendance with them

since their arrival, and holds considerable

influence over Manitoba's premier, and

appears to have assumed full control of

Manitoba affairs.

Mr. Allan, President of the M. & N. W.

railway, told Mr. Greenway there was

no truth in the report that his road is

to be purchased by the C. P. R.

OTTAWA, March 14.—Greenway had

an interview with Sir John to-day and

speaks hopefully this evening of the

prospects of a settlement.

Sir Donald A. Smith and Sir George

Stephens arrived to-day.

The Gov. General was in council with

the Cabinet to-day, talking over Manito-

ba affairs, in view of the discontinuance

of disallowance.

The question will arise whether the C.

P. R. will not deem it in their interest

to build a short line from Selkirk to

Manitoba, and take their traffic through that

way.

It is rumored that Sir Charles Tupper

CHIT-CHAT LOCAL.

Gathered by our Reporter.

New goods arriving daily at

Campbell's.

Mr. F. C. Baker arrived to-day

on the last mail stage from

To-morrow, 17th, the 18th and 19th

of Ireland's patron saint will be

The weather has been very

last few days and the snow is melting

ing very rapidly.

Work at the barracks is being

pushed forward. All the

penters are at work.

Judging from the

freight arriving daily, we

pect to do a big spring

Judge McGuire and

Battleford for home of

They should be here

A meeting of Kinistone

A.M., will be held in the

on Thursday evening

Mr. Thos. Berthiaume

the Barber Shop from

will give it a trial. We

See J. M. Campbell's

last week. We are

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A LITTLE GIFT FROM IRELAND.

Here gran ma, here's a present, it has come
A distance too.
'Tis a little pot of shamrock, and it comes
addressed to you;
Yes, all the way from Ireland, and the
card here in it has more
They were gathered at your birthplace on
the banks of Avonmore.
From Ireland! do you tell me, O darling,
is it true?
Aushla let me feel them, and you say
'Tis true, they grow;
Why, I can scarcely believe it, it really
what you say?
From my birthplace in old Ireland, poor
Ireland far away.
I'm old and stiff and feeble, and in dark
ness, then be patient.
Yet, Katie, how it starts me, how my poor
old heart is raised.
To feel here so near me the soil that gave
me birth,
The very clay of Ireland! let me kiss the
holy earth.
These blessed little shamrocks, but I can't see
them, yet I know
They bring me back the eyesight of the
happy long ago.
And glowing through the darkness comes
the vision that I love,
The dark green field of Ireland and the
sunny sky above.
I see as I once saw them, when a girl like
you I stood.
Amid the furze and heather, there's the
chapel, and the wood;
There's the stone wall with ivy, and the
river's winding shore,
And the boys and girls all playing on the
banks of Avonmore.
God bless the little shamrocks, then, for
bringing back the scene.
The beauty of the sunshine, the brightness
of the green.
Three long long years to see it, and to see
it all so plain.
Altho' I, too, were smiling, but I'm
feeling young again.
And though the truly thankful, for the
blessings that God's hand
Has brought around me, Katie, in this
great and glorious land,
I can't forget the old home, midst the com-
forts of the new.
My heart is three parts buried where those
little shamrocks grew.

TERRITORIAL NEWS

LETHBRIDGE.

From the News, March 1.
Supt. Neale came down from Macleod
last week in order to hold an investiga-
tion as to certain circumstances connected
with the presentation of the medals at
this place. It appears that in the course
of this investigation, the Sergt. Major
and several corporals stated that they
believed Supt. Macdonnell to have been,
at the time under the influence of liquor.
Sergt. Major Davidson and Corp. O'Brien
were on Saturday night arrested and
charged with having falsely made such
statement. O'Brien was also charged
with having conspired with others to
procure the publication of a certain pa-
graph published in the News, respecting
such presentation, and Davidson was also
charged with being in collusion with
him. An investigation was held by
Supt. Neale last Monday and a number
of witnesses examined on both sides.
The result has not yet been known.
Sergt. Major Davidson and Corp. O'Brien
were, however, released to Macleod on
Tuesday.

REGINA.

From the Leader.
Mrs. E. Crippen, a lady of large expe-
rience in the teaching profession in Eng-
land, is opening a school in Regina.
Inspector McMillan left to-day on a
trip of inspection to the Mounted Police
patrol district of Carleton.
We regret to hear that Mrs. Captain
McLure was seriously injured this after-
noon by being thrown out of a runaway
rig. The Captain escaped with a good
shaking.
If our memory does not deceive it was
during the brief period when the Mac-
kenzie Government held sway over the
Northwest that the noble buffalo became
extinct. Of course government control
may not have been the cause, but it does
seem a singular coincidence.

FORT MACLEOD.

From the Gazette, March 1.
Inspector Howe left for Battleford on
Sunday. He has been ordered there to
relieve Supt. Cotton for a month, who is
obliged to go to Regina.
Mr. Menard, for some time manager
of the Union Bank at Lethbridge, re-
cently attempted to commit suicide in
California, by shooting himself. He
cannot recover. Temporary insanity is
the cause.

BATTLEFORD.

From the Herald, Feb. 23.
Whitefish sold last week at sixteen for
a dollar.
Notices are up informing the public
that the Government will accept bushel
for bushel for all seed grain delivered
before the 1st of April.
On Saturday afternoon last J. M. Skel-

ton's dwelling house had a narrow escape
from destruction by fire, arising from
the burning of a chimney.

Sergts. Lander and Carrol and Const.
O'Keefe, of the Mounted Police, have
received rebellion medals. With the
medals are cloths having the word "Sas-
katchewan" in relief on them.

OPENING PEACE RIVER COUNTRY

The Battleford Herald has the following:
—A special committee of the Senate will
this session enquire into the best plan of
opening up the Peace River country—the
new Northwest—to settlement. One
of the plans suggested—Bedson's penal
colony—has already been set aside by
public opinion as impracticable. Num-
bers of schemes will no doubt be suggest-
ed, all feasible and desirable in the minds
of their promoters; but of this it will be
time enough to speak when they are
made public.

A very simple scheme lying entirely
within the power of the House to carry
out, is the cancellation of the charters
of all railway companies authorized to
build in the direction of the coveted
country wherever they have shown their
inability or want of inclination to carry
out the conditions of their charters. The
presence of dead charters on the
statute books keeps live and competent
companies out of the field, and inflicts a
wrong on the settlers who peg rate the
country in advance of the railways, re-
lying upon the promises implied by the
acts of incorporation that the roads be
constructed without unnecessary delay.

If the charters of irresponsible com-
panies were recalled and the land grants
promised them thrown open to other and
bona fide companies, many such would
be found ready to enter the field and
push on the work. And in doing so
they would open up a rich and extensive
country even now suffering for want of
facilities, and encourage the settlement
of districts that would contribute largely
to the trade of the commercial centres of
the east.

Years ago half a dozen railways were
chartered to open up the Peace River
and connect it with the railway system
of the east, but not one of the promises
made by their promoters has been ful-
filled, nor is there to-day any indication
that work will begin in the present
generation. Kill off the humbug railways;
give a cash bonus to any who can prove
their ability to carry out their pledges;
and make all lands open to homesteads,
and the constitution of a road that will
open up the Peace River country and
place it in communication with the At-
lantic on the east and the Pacific on the
west will be a matter of but a few years
time.

NOTICE

To Millers and others in the Northwest
Territories and throughout Manitoba.

SEALED TENDERS accompanied by
One Hundred Pound Banknotes, and en-
closed in tenders for Paper, will be received
at the undersigned Indian Agencies, in the
Northwest Territories, up to noon of
Monday, the sixteenth day of March 1888.

Agency.
H. Martineau, The Narrows, Lake
Manitoba.
J. A. Markle, Birtle.
J. J. Campbell, Moose Mountain.
A. McDonald, Crooked Lake.
W. S. Leitch, Assiniboine Reserve.
H. I. Reynolds, Qu'Appelle.
J. H. Lash, Muskegwan's Re-
serve.
H. Keith, Touchwood Hills.
J. Finlayson, Mistowasis Reserve.
R. C. McKenzie, Duck Lake.
R. J. Williams, Battleford.
G. G. Mann, Onion Lake.
J. A. Mitchell, Saddle Lake.
W. C. Baldwin, Edmonton.
S. H. Jones, Peace Hills.
W. Pocklington, Blood Reserve.
M. Begg, Blackfoot Crossing.
F. C. Garfield, Sarcee Reserve.

Form of tender giving full particulars
relative to the quality, quantity and points
of delivery of the flour required, may be
had on application to the Department of
Indian Affairs, Ottawa, or to the Indian Com-
missioner for Manitoba and the Northwest
Territories at Regina or E. Macartney, Winni-
peg, or to any of the above named Indian
Agents; no tender will be entertained unless
it is made on one of these forms. Each ten-
der must be accompanied by an accepted
banknote, approved by the Indian Agent for
the District, for at least five per cent. of the
amount thereof, which will be forfeited if
the tenderer declines to enter into a contract
with the tender when called upon to do so,
or if he fails to fulfil his contract to the
satisfaction of the Department. If the ten-
derer prefers to do so he may deposit with
the Agent, in lieu of an accepted cheque,
the notes of any Chartered Bank in Canada
to an equal amount.
Tenders will be entertained for a portion
or for the whole quantity of flour required
at any given point.
For particulars and conditions see forms
of tender.
The lowest, or any tender, not necessarily
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T. VAN KOUENNET,
Deputy of the Superintendent General
of Indian Affairs,
Department of Indian Affairs,
Ottawa, 16th February, 1888.

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HEADACHE, BACKACHE, Dizziness,
DREAMS, WEAKNESS OF MEMORY, BARR-
FULESS IN SOCIETY, PIMPLES upon
the FACE, and all the EFFECTS leading to
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of the District of Saskatchewan.

It will embrace, besides the usual matter
contained in such publications, sketches of
the rise and progress of the various settle-
ments throughout the district, setting forth
their natural resources, and giving a crop
report for the year 1887.

It will also contain views of the town of
Prince Albert, and of Battleford, an illus-
trated list of the actual settlers through-
out the district, giving their place of resi-
dence as near as possible; and post-office,
church, and other directories.

No pains will be spared, to make it
thoroughly reliable as a source of reference
for business men and others.

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rate of 10c per line, or \$7 per page. The
subscription price to advertisers will be
fifty cents per copy; to those not advertising
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tisements, will please do so immediately.
Those gentlemen, also, who have kindly
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of their respective settlements, etc., will
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Dominion Parliament.

OTTAWA, March 11.—The Speaker took the chair at 10 o'clock to-day.

OTTAWA, March 12.—In response to an invitation, Messrs. Greenway and Martin waited on His Excellency this morning, and had an hour's talk with him in regard to Manitoba. They were greatly pleased with the interview, and took occasion to fully explain the affairs of Manitoba. The interview, of course, had no direct result but is taken as another indication that Manitoba claims will be accepted by the Dominion Government. The matter was taken up in the House, as to whether or not the Gov.-General has sent for these gentlemen. Peter Mitchell said if he had he was interfering with a matter he had no right to. If on the other hand the Government had advised it, they of course were to blame.

Sir John said he was not aware His Excellency had sent for these gentlemen to talk over the Manitoba situation, but if it were true he had done so, it was a matter that could not be objected to, as he had a perfect right to choose with whom he should hold conversation.

Mr. Laurier rose to express dissent from the views held by Mr. Mitchell, and said it was not the business of the House whether or not the Gov.-General had sent for these gentlemen.

According to the report of the commissioners appointed to settle the damages resulting from the Northwest Rebellion, there were 925 claims made, 577 of which were from Prince Albert district, 147 from Battleford, 127 from Calgary and 74 from Qu'Appelle. The total amount claimed was \$1,208,713, the amount allowed was \$483,700.

OTTAWA, March 11.—The Department of the Interior say they have received no news of an alarming nature, regarding the recent meeting of the Metis at Batoche.

The Liberal members are preparing for vigorous opposition to the proposal of bringing New Foundland into the Confederation.

OTTAWA, March 14.—In the House to-day Sir Richard Cartwright's motion for unrestricted reciprocity, was discussed at some length, the opposition tried to prove that the trade of Canada is diminishing.

The Hon. Thos. White replied in an able manner and proved that the affairs of the country are in a flourishing condition.

Sir Chas. Tupper and the Hon. Mr. Pope are ill and will likely be absent from their seats for some days.

RAILWAY MATTERS

Major Bell had an interview with the Hon. Mr. Greenway on Saturday afternoon with reference to the railway company in which he is interested and which proposes to build a new line from Port Arthur to Winnipeg, and from there to the Souris coal fields via Morris, and to connect with the M. & N. W. R. by a southern route. It is proposed by this company to build along the north shore of Lake Superior, west from Port Arthur, for a considerable distance, then striking northwest for Sturgeon Falls, on to the Narrows of the Lake of the Woods, at which point it is said a bridge will be built, and then on straight to Winnipeg. Midway between Port Arthur and Lake of the Woods a branch will be run to connect with the Bismarck, Red Lake & Hallock railroad, which is proposed to be built next summer, connecting western Dakota with the wooded sections of northwest Minnesota, and terminating at Hallock on the Rainey River. From Winnipeg a southern branch will be constructed to Morris, and then continued west to the Souris coal fields. Major Bell urged the abandonment of the R. R. V. railway from Morris to the boundary line and argued that such a course, and the adoption of the scheme he proposed, would attract traffic from the northwest states through Canada, instead of taking the trade of the Canadian Northwest through American territory. He also asked that the Government guarantee the bonds of the company to the extent of \$4,000,000, at the rate of 4 per cent. In reply the Premier said he would bring the matter before the Government at an early date, but assured him that no proposition for the abandonment of the R. R. V. railway would be entertained by his colleagues, nor would they hear the arguments to be advanced in favor of such a suggestion, as the government were determined to build that line.

GENERAL NEWS.

QUEBEC, March 3.—The case of Ayneut vs. Larte and Demers, arising out of *Le Canadian's* criticism of the 9th battalion while in the Northwest, was brought to a close in the Court of Review yesterday. J. A. Col. Ayneut sued for \$25,000. The jury on the case dismissed the case on a cross appeal. The Court maintained the dismissal of the original action, but ordered that each party pay their own costs.

MILTON, Ont., March 1.—Voting on the repeal of the Scott Act in Halton county took place to-day, after a fierce contest extending over many weeks. The Scott act party flooded the constituency with speakers, both clerical and lay. The repeal was carried by a majority of 210 as far as heard from. The complete returns are not in but the majority will be in that neighborhood.

OTTAWA, March 3.—The following are among the estimates presented for the ensuing year: Agriculture, \$147,950; Indians, \$1,005,702; Northwest Mounted Police, \$748,426; for experimental farms, \$90,000; immigration, \$116,389. Winnipeg is to have an immigration building at a cost of \$15,000.

MONTREAL, March 2.—A sensation was caused to-day by the development that there is a heavy shortage in the finances of the Hall estate, amounting to about \$250,000, of which \$100,000 is admitted. Landsay, curator of the estate, has gone to New York, pending a settlement, but handed over valuable property which will tend to reduce the shortage. The validity to the title to a part of Mount Royal park, which formerly was part of the estate, is also involved. The whole matter will be ventilated in the courts.

TORONTO, March 2.—The commissioners appointed to inquire into the death of young Macdonald by a rifle shot while opposite the Garrison Common range, reported that the place could be made comparatively safe by putting out a line of buoys. This decision fails to satisfy Toronto.

WINNIPEG, March 2.—Two carloads of silk were attached to the Atlantic express on Friday. The cars were in bond for New York and the contents were part of the cargo of the Abyssinia, recently arrived from China.

Twenty-two carloads of cotton goods passed through the city this week en route to Vancouver. The goods were shipped from Montreal and destined to Shanghai, China, where they will be taken by the C. P. R. steamer Abyssinia.

TELEGRAPHIC.

LONDON, March 14.—One hundred and fifty Belgian farmers will leave Liverpool for Calgary to-morrow. Everything points to a large emigration this summer.

Mitchell has retired from the ring. He does not claim the championship but says Kilrain will secure it within six months. Sullivan scouted the idea of leaving the prize ring, and says he is prepared to meet anybody immediately or at any time. He attributes his failure to knock Mitchell out to the disabbling of his right arm in the fifth round.

WINNIPEG, March 14.—Greenway is spreading a report that Supt. Whyte refuses to lead ties along the track near White Mouth for the R. R. V. railway, and says he, Greenway, offered to build a side track but Mr. Whyte would not agree to that.

Dakota people know what a severe snow storm is and can now sympathize with their brethren in the eastern states. The former has offered assistance to the sufferers during the late storms.

VICTORIA, B.C., March 2.—The Chief Justice to-day ordered the corporation of the city to renew the licenses of two Chinese pawnbrokers.

The steamer Spitfire left for San Juan river this morning with Mr. Alex. Begg, who will ascertain the adaptability of the district to Crofter settlement.

The E. and N. railway will be finished into the city and a new swing bridge formally opened next week.

DUBLIN, March 2.—The Bishop of Cork permits the body of the late Stephen J. Meany to be placed in the cathedral there, on the condition that there shall be no political demonstration.

ST. JOHN, N.B., March 2.—Dr. Earle, one of the oldest physicians in the city, was driving yesterday, when he suddenly fell forward, and in a few minutes afterwards was dead.

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